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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Prior to substantive examination, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 1-9, 12-19 and 21-28.

Please amend pending claims 10 and 20 as follows:

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10. An isolated polypeptide [, wherein the polypeptide is selected from the group consisting of:

- (a) a polypeptide encoded by any one of the polynucleotide of claim 1; and
- (b) a polypeptide encoded by a polynucleotide hybridizing under stringent conditions with any one of 748 SEQ ID NO: 1-45,196, 752 SEQ ID NO: 1-13,192, 778 SEQ ID NO: 1-94, 779 SEQ ID NO: 1-128, 782 SEQ ID NO: 1-10,451, 784 SEQ ID NO: 1-10,289, 785 SEQ ID NO: 1-3796, 787 SEQ ID NO: 1-3960, 788 SEQ ID NO: 1-14,074, 789 SEQ ID NO: 1-6391, 790 SEQ ID NO: 1-30,533, 791 SEQ ID NO: 1-5822, or 792 SEQ ID NO: 1-8502]encoded by the polynucleotide of 785 SEQ ID NO: 2715.